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Applicant : Andreas Hilliger et al. Art Unit: 2826
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 INCLUDING THE CONTACT

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In response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment mailed
 January 21, 2005, please amend the application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 9 of this paper.

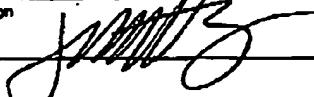
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CLAIMS AS FILED - PART I

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FOR	NUMBER FILED	NUMBER EXTRA
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OR SMALL ENTITY

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X\$18=	
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OR TOTAL	

OTHER THAN
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AMENDMENT B

(Column 1) (Column 2) (Column 3)

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AMENDMENT C

(Column 1) (Column 2) (Column 3)

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